

# Persuasive Writing Checklist



The essential elements to a successful piece of persuasive writing

## Introduction

The introduction is one of the most important elements to your piece of persuasive writing as it gives the reader a clear idea about where you stand on a particular issue.

- states the argument
- discusses the topic

  

## Body

The body is made up of a few paragraphs that each restate the argument or opinion and back it up with 2 or 3 pieces of evidence to support it.

- restates the argument
- gives reasons to support the argument
- contains facts and evidence to support the reasons
- is longer than 3 sentences
- encourages readers to think

  
  
  
  

## Conclusion

The conclusion of your writing is one paragraph which strongly concludes the writing. The conclusion should:

- encourages readers to think
- sums up the main argument

